

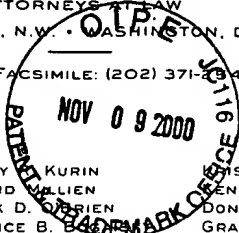
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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
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For: A System, Method, and Computer Program  
Product for Configuring Stochastic Simulation  
Models in an Object Oriented Environment

Inventor: Derek PENN  
Our Ref: 1881.0120001

Sir:

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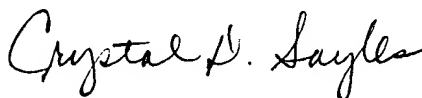
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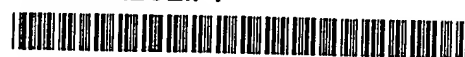
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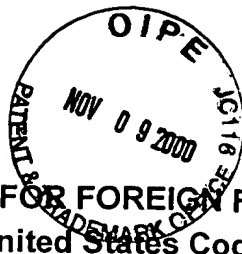
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